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Thinking Out Loud

By H. M. L.

We are told by army and navy chiefs to make up our minds for, and to prepare for a long war. This is undoubtedly wise advice. Just as every farmer in the northern climes gets ready for a long hard winter ,even though spring may be a month earlier than usual, so should be ready for a long war. But among a good many people there is sketpticism about a long war. This skepticism is not important except in one respect. If the war should be over this year or early next year, the question arises: what are we going to do about it? Will this nation be ready for peace? It is vitally important to get ready for peace now.

To glance first at the possibility of an early peace, it is incumbent to examine some of the signs ,even though they may not be definite enough to support any reasonable deductions.

The schism between Hitler and his generals, how deep is it and how important? We do not know. We do know that Stalin only three years or four years ago destroyed practically all his high command and yet the Russian army is today giving an extremely good account of itself. Can Hitler dismiss, or destroy, Brauchitsch, Goering, Keitel and others and can he replace them with generals who will get more fight out of the soldiers than did they? Most military men would probably think not. Hitler, taking over command himself, has never proved himself as a military leader except in matters of grand strategy such as outlined in Mein Kampf. Stalin had three years for reorganization of his military forces after purging his generals. Hitler has very little time for this. The Allies will not give it to him.

The conclusion of some observers is that this parting of the ways between Hitler and his high command, has all the elements of fatal weakness. The worm is in the apple, but the apple may not show decay for some little time yet.

To comment on the rift between Hitler and his generals, is of course to discuss effect rather than cause. Defeat in Russia is primarily the cause of the rift. But, as in a lot of other things, we are probably witnessing one of those (to the Germans) vicious spirals. The Germans are taking a beating primarily because they were not prepared, and could not be prepared in time, for a winter campaign. Hitler gambled on winning in a short summer and fall campaign. It begins to appear that he did so against the advice of his generals. Defeat followed and this had its effect on German morale at home. t encouraged all the subjected nations to sabotage and assassination as well as they were able, a course made easier by the transfer of troops from victim countries to the Russian front. Thus we have the wicked spiral. The more defeat the more dicouragement in Germany, the more dismissal of German generals, the more defeat. The more uprisings among the conquered nations the more withdrawals of German troops needed on the main battle lines, and the more likelihood of losing important gains on vital fronts and further defeat.

Those who are forty five years old or more, can recall quite well that Germany buckled in about four months time. The folks at home got hungry, tired and discouraged, and this in turn had a bad effect on the troops at the front. It is quite true that Germany, this time, has more than doubled its war resources by seizing the war materials and food of

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Defense Council To Meet Tonight At City Hall

Nevada City's Defense Council will hold a meeting tonight at the City Hall with chairmen of committees appointed Monday night.

The committee chairmen are as follows:

Human resources and skills—William Tamblyn, Jr.

Medical relief—Dr. Norbert Frey.

Fire relief—Carl T. Larsen.

Damage and relief—City Superintendent of Streets, H. S. Hallett.

Public health and sanitation—Dr. W. W. Reed.

Power and blackouts—Al S. Bates.

Police—Chief of Police Max Solaro and City Attorney Frank Finnegan.

Evacuation and transportation—Robert Paine.

Traffic and communications—George R. Carter.

Housing and relief—A. C. Presley.

Coordination—Max Solaro.

Public information—Charles Everhart.

The civil protection committee will be composed of Mayor Ben Hall, City Clerk George Calanan and other members of the city council, Dr. John Ivey, Robert Nye, Frank Davies, and Irvine Seaman.

C. K. Heffren, coordinator of the Nevada County Defense Council, informed the local defense group on the proper method to follow in organizing.

The need for further volunteers for civilian defense was stressed at the meeting and those who have not already signed up are asked to fill out blanks which can be obtained at the city hall.

NO LARGE DROP IN EMPLOYMENT AT I. M. MINES

Although employment turnover at the Idaho-Maryland Mines Corporation properties has been heavier than in previous months, the total number of men at work has not shown a material decrease.

At the Idaho-Maryland and New Brunswick Mines there are 884 men employed. The Brunswick employs 336 underground while the Idaho-Maryland has 296 underground workers. At the mills and surfaces of the two properties there are 193 men employed and 50 on the private operating payroll. Nine men continued at the Bullion in dewatering operations.

Normal milling operations are continuing at both the New Brunswick and Idaho-Maryland.

Small Pox Vaccination Program, Sponsored By Defense Council, Opens

A campaign against small pox, sponsored by the Nevada City Defense Council,got under way here today.

Vaccination against the disease was given Nevada City Elementary School children today.

Tomorrow Grass Valley High School children will be vaccinated and on Saturday adults can be vaccinated at the City Hall.

"Disease in war time must be kept under control in the civilian as well as military population," a defense council announcement, urging every man, woman and child be vaccinated against small pox, read. "Since men in uniorm enjoy recreation and facilities that are provided in civilian communities, it is important that all opportunities of contracting communicable diseases be eliminated."

The vaccination cost is but 25 cents per person, the defense council announced.

Transportation Means To Work Causing Concern To Miners

Whenever two or more miners get together nowadays the conversation invariably turns to means of transportation to and from work when the pinch of the tire shortage is felt.

A large number of local miners travel as far as ten miles to their jobs. It is not believed there will be any priority on tires for these miners so they are becoming worried.

Lava Cap miners travel to and from work in busses provided by the company. A possibility is seen that other mining companies will provide busses for the transportation of their workers. However, the Idaho-Maryland Mines Corporation reported the matter has not even been considered yet.

Old time miners here scoff at the idea the lack of tires need interfere with work. They recall in the old days they used to walk to work every day to mines located further away than those operating in the county today.

"In those days, too," they say, "We didn't work eight hours. We worked ten and twelve hours a day."

CLYDE HOWE ARRAIGNMENT TOMORROW

Clyde Howe, 52, charged with murder for the slaying of Jean E. Richlin, will be arraigned in the superior court here before Judge George L. Jones tomorrow morning.

At his preliminary hearing, Howe indicated he would plead not guilty to the murder charge.

The slaying followed a dispute between the two men over title to an 80 acre tract of land on which Howe lived. The land had been awarded to Richlin several weeks ago by the superior court here.

Local Girl Injured When She Ran Into Side Of Automobile

Eight year old Berniece Haley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Haley, Sr., of this city, is recovering at the Miners Hospital here from injuries sustained yesterday afternoon when she ran into the side of the moving automobile of Attorney Jas. Snell on Union Street near Commercial.

The girl's injuries include an arm fracture. Attorney Snell stopped immediately after the accident and took the girl to the hospital.

Witnesses reported the accident was no fault of the driver of the automobile.

Tire Rationing Board Ready For Business

The Nevada City tire rationing board announces it is ready for business. The board, composed of George H. Calanan, Mrs. Virginia Ghidotti and John Hubbard, has appointed Jack Kemp and Jack Shebley as inspectors and Sammy Hooper at the city hall as clerk.

Nevada City's tire quota for this month is three passenger and seven truck tires. Two passenger and six truck tubes are available.

Applications for tires can be made with Hooper at the city hall. Inspectors Shebley and Kemp then investigate and the rationing board acts upon the application.

Local Man Killed At North Star

KENNETH PEAK MEETS DEATH WHEN HEAD STRIKES SHAFT TIMBER

Coroner A. M. Holmes is preparing to hold an inquest into the death Tuesday of Kenneth Peak, 28, of Nevada City, who was killed when his head struck a timber in the North Star Mine shaft while ascending in a skip from the 8600 foot level to the 8400 level.

Peak, a straw boss on a construction project on the 8400 foot level, and Skiptender C. H. Rule were hauling sand from the 8600 station at the time of the accident.

Rule told Safety Engineer Charles Plumtree he was unaware of the accident until he turned around in the skip to talk to Peak and found him prostrate on the floor of the skip.

The accident, as reconstructed by Safety Engineer Plumtree, occurred when for some reason or other Peak raised his head too high and was struck by the timbers lining the shaft.

Peak was dead when he was examined on the 8400 foot level. Rule said at the time of the accident the skip was ascending slowly because it was loaded with sand, which was used for mixing cement for the foundations for new shiv wheels on the 8400 foot level.

Peak was born in Bishop, Inyo County. He had been a resident of Nevada City for the past one and one half years.

The deceased leaves a wife, Marie Conner Peak and two children, Kenneth, Jr., and Michael C. Peak of Nevada City, his mother, Mrs. Lavinia Peak of Ventura, two brothers, Donald Peak of Ventura and Maxwell Peak of India and a sister, Ivy Peak of San Bernardino.

The body was shipped today by the Holmes Funeral Home to Ventura for funeral rites and burial.

O. McCRANEY IS NEW OPM HEAD OF SACTO. DIST.

E. H. Cameron, manager of the district office of the contract distribution division of the Office of Production Management, Sacramento, announced yesterday that he will be replaced by Orlando McCraney, well known Nevada City mining engineer and resident here since 1929.

Cameron will return to the regional office in San Francisco as soon as Mr. McCraney has been acquainted with his work.

Was In Philipines

Orlando McCraney has been eminent in his profession for many years. having followed the mining profession since his graduation from the University of California.

Until 1917 he managed a mine in the state of Nevada, later having charge of mines in Shasta County and the Argonaut Mine in Jackson, Amador County.

In 1920 Mr. McCraney and his family came to Nevada City where he managed the Murchie Mine in this city until it was sold to the Newmont Mining Company.

He then went to the Philippines Islands where he developed a mine on Lahuy Island. He returned to Nevada City in 1940 and has been interested in mining since.

His appointment to the governmental office will necessitate his being in Sacramento most of the time but it was indicated last night that the family will remain here. He is the father of Thomas O. McCraney, attorney of Los Angeles; David McCraney, student at Stanford University; James McCraney, student at the University of California, and Mrs. William Polkinghorn of Berkeley.

Nevada County Mines Payroll Now 2,339 Men; 40 Less Than December

SLIGHT DROP NOTED IN EMPLOYMENT AT IDAHO-MARYLAND AND LAVA CAP PROPERTIES

Nevada County mines now employ 2,339 men. The payroll approximately $350,450 per month. The number of men employed in the gold mining industry of the county is 39 less than last month, The Nugget's monthly survey reveals.

No appreciable decrease in employment is noted at any of the large operating mines. Idaho-Maryland Mines Corporation and Lava Cap Mining Corporation employment dropped slightly.

The announcement by the Empire-Star Mines, Ltd., that the Murchie Mine will be abandoned was the most serious blow suffered by mining in this county during the past month.

The Murchie long had been one of the mainstays of Nevada City and one of the most important producers of Nevada County, banner gold producing county of the state.

The drop in employment at other mines appears to be solely due to inability to obtain experienced miners. None of the mines report a serious shortage of materials yet.

On the brighter side of the picture, it was indicated that essential war material deposits may be developed in Nevada County in the near future.

Jim Davis, who last fall trucked 100 tons of chrome from a deposit near Milton Dam, is examining a magnesite deposit near North Bloomfield. Other deposits of needed war materials are known to exist in the county and the probability exists that they may be investigated either by private parties or governmental agencies before long.

A heavy fall of rain during the past several weeks has assured hydraulic mining operators a good supply of water for hydraulicking, which is being carried on full blast at the present time at the Omega and Relief Hill Mines.

The mines operating in the county, number of men employed and payroll follows:

	Men	Payroll
Empire-Star Mines—		
Empire	420	$63,000
North Star	310	46,500
Pennsylvania	115	17,250
Zeibright	40	6,000
Murchie	30	4,500
Idaho-Maryland Mines—		
Idaho-Marylind	446	66,900
New Brunswick	429	64,450
Bullion	9	1,350
Lava Cap Mines—		
Central	172	25,800
Banner	141	21,150
Others—		
Midnight	9	1,350
Scotia	80	12,000
Spring Hill	18	2,700
Stockton Hill	6	900
Anchoe Erie	12	1,800
St. John	8	1,200
Big Pine	6	900
Coan	2	300
Omega	4	600
Taylor	6	900
Placer Mines—		
Innis	17	2,550
Omega	35	5,250
Relief Hill	20	3,000
French Corral	4	600
TOTALS	2,339	$350,450

Alleghany Lode Mining Company Plans Operation

The Alleghany Lode Mining Company, a San Francisco corporation, apparently planning operations in Sierra County, this week filed incorporation papers in Sacramento at the Capitol.

Documents presented to Secretary of State Paul Peek listed capital stock of the firm at $50,000.

The directors are Edward B. Pond of Alleghany, George Aye, Jr., of Berkeley and Julliard McDonald, Geraldine McDonald and Bert C. Austin of San Francisco.

INSPECT SNOWMOBILE

Members of the Tahoe National Forest staff left for Soda Springs today to inspect a snowmobile which is being demonstrated there.

DOROTHY KATHERINE THOMAS WILL BECOME BRIDE OF KENNETH ADAMS SATURDAY

The Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas home on Silva Avenue will be the scene of a wedding Saturday night when the remaining single daughter of the Thomas,' Dorothy Katherine, becomes the bride of Kenneth N. Adams of Grass Valley.

The wedding will be performed in the beautifully decorated living room at 7 p. m. by Rev. David Ralston of the local Methodist Church.

The bride, who will be dressed in a white satin wedding gown, will be attended by Mrs. Thelma Bailey of San Francisco and Mrs. Hazel Whitford of this city. She will be given in marriage by her father.

Adams will be attended by a close friend, Charles Brown of Grass Valley.

Following the weddng, there will be a reception at the Thomas home for close friends and relatives.

Miss Thomas, one of Nevada City's most popular young women, is a deputy county assessor. Prior to her recent appointment to that position by Assessor John M. Hammill, she had been employed by the Tahoe Natonal Forest Service.

The bride to be in 1937 graduated from the Nevada City High School. She then attended Placer Junior College, graduating in 1939 and in 1940 she graduated from the Mt. St. Mary's Business Academy in Grass Valley.

Adams is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Army Adams of Grass Valley. The father is superintendent of the Poverty Hill Hydraulic Mine in Plumas County. At present Adams is a student at the San Francisco Junior College but he expects soon to join the armed forces of the United States.

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NEWSPAPER EDUCATION

Speaking before 400 alumni of the University of California college of dentistry last week, Dr. George W. Crane, Northwestern University psychologist, declared that newspaper education of the public is as necessary as adequate dentistry in reducing the huge percentage of "dentally unfit" revealed by selective service examinations.

"The best way you can reach the public," Dr. Crane said, "is by way of the newspapers, read by 100,000,000 Americans. Local dental associations should place large advertisements in the newspapers to bring their cause to the people."

There is no question that the press is outstandingly the most effective medium for presenting a thorough program of public education in any field. Already limitations of the radio as a news and editorial dispenser have unavoidably set afoot some damaging rumors of the war. An announcer may state very clearly, that Japanese propagandists are falsely seeking to give the impression that the American Navy has been defeated and crippled. But many radio listeners, turning from program to program, may only hear the text of the false claim and miss the announcer's explanation that it is false propaganda—and so another "scare" rumor is born. The same statement could not be misinterpreted if read in a newspaper—for it would be presented in its entirety, in unmistakable black and white, for every reader.

Whether the educational matter has to do with dental health, civilian defene, events in the Far East—or the best way to make an apple pie and the best place to buy the apples, the sure way of getting across the message in full and without distortion is through the newspapers read by those hundred million adult Americans.

HEROES IN WHITE

On December 4, a medical officer of the U. S. Navy underwent an appendicitis operation at Pearl Harbor. Three days later, when the Japs struck, that man got out of bed, assembled his kit, and worked steadily for three days and nights until he collapsed.

He was just one of the heroes in white—the little group of Navy doctors and nurses, aided by volunteer nurses—who performed the medical miracle of giving treatment to 90 per cent of the casualties by nightfall of fateful December 7th.

It is for such selfless service that the Red Cross is asking contributions and American nurses and medical men are volunteering. They won't fly bombers or man machine guns; and their achievements will be in headlines but little. But they will make in far places their gallant stand against agony and death, as they made it at Pearl Harbor—and the grateful men of the fighting forces will accord them the same high tribute they accord to the heroes in khaki for the stands they made at Wake and Midway. Heroes all.

PORK BARREL PATRIOTISM

The outbreak of war has vindicated the position of Speaker Gordon H. Garland, of the California Assembly, and those members of the legislature who joined with him in repelling pork barrel raids by the state administration on the state treasury. Instead of being caught with an empty treasury, the state has a surplus, every dollar of which bears eloquent testimony to the value of the work of the ecenomy bloc.

It is this surplus today which makes it possible for California to meet its war needs without resort to additional taxation. But this surplus must not be dissipated in half-baked schemes induced by hysteria nor in pork barrel raids thinly disguised as war measures. In times of peace the political pork barrel is an evil, used by incumbent politicians to aid their re-election. In times of war it only gives comfort to the enemy by wasting the substance of our people on non-essential things, not the least of which are those politicians who dip their snoots into the barrel.

Partridges, Quail Released From Game Farms

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Reports from the State Game farms at Yountville and Chino, operated by the California State Division of Fish and Game show that over 50,000 pheasants were raised at the farms and liberated throughout the state during 1941. A total of 6,794 partridge and 2,811 quail were also raised and released from the game farms.

In addition to rearing these birds, approximately 1,000 quail were trapped in southern California in over crowded areas and transplanted to suitable places where birds were scarce.

Preparations are now being made at both game farms for the 1942 egg laying and hatching period.

MEASLES PREVALENT

A number of Nevada City children are recovering from measles. Parents said the disease was apparently the three day variety, the children recovering three days after breaking out.

ANOTHER LOCAL HOME INVADED

W. E. Wright reported to the police here yesterday that a prowler entered his home Friday night and made off with two banks in which coins were being saved to purchase defense stamps.

The burglary was not learned until yesterday. The Wrights returned to their home after visiting Friday night. At that time Mrs. Wright found her bureau drawers disarranged but her husband thought nothing of it.

Yesterday Wright investigated an open window and found where some one had boosted himself up from the ground through the window.

On that same evening the Mrs. Cole and Arthur Christensen homes were burglarized.

"Does your husband worry much about the bills?"

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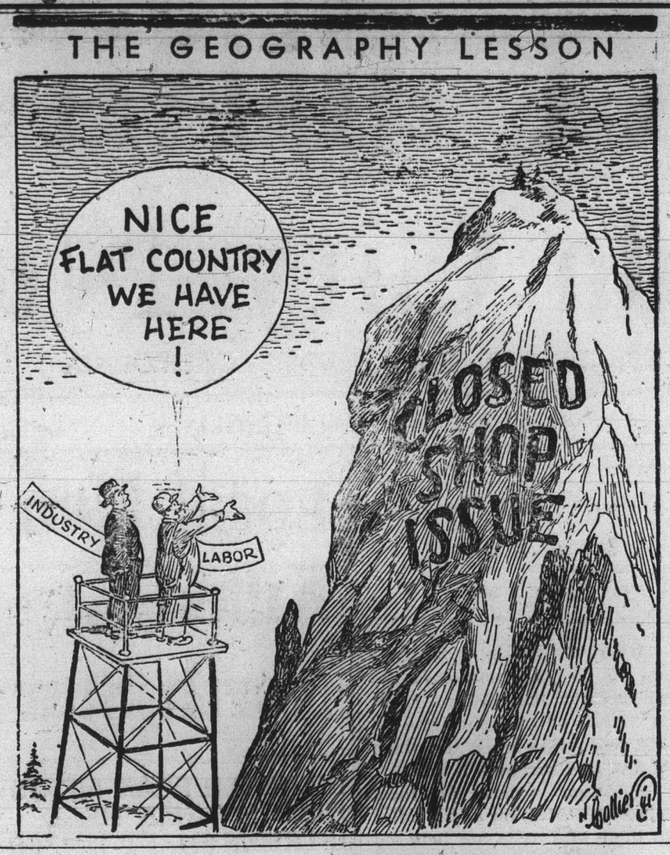

Church Notes

—Catholic Church

Two masses will be celebrated at the St. Canice Catholic Church Sunday. The first mass will be at eight a. m. and the second at 10:30 a. m. Father Patrick O'Reilly and Father Williams will be in charge of the services.

—Trinity Episcopal Church

Trinity Episcopal Church. Bishop Noel Porter of the Diocese of Sacramento will celebrate the Holy Communion and preach at the 11 o'clock service.

Sunday School at 9:45 at which time there will be a baptismal service for boys and girls of the Sunday School.

Cedric S. Porter, Minister; Mrs. Carl Libbey, choir director; Mrs. Fred Anderson, organist.

—Christian Science Society

The Christian Science Society in Nevada City holds service every Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. A testimonial meeting is held the first Wednesday of each month at 8 p. m.

"Life" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon Sunday. The Golden Text will be: "How excellent is thy lovingkindness, O God! For with thee is the fountain of life." (Psalms 36: 7. 9).

Other Bible citations will include: "And, behold, one came and said unto him. Good Master, what good thing shall I do, that I may have eternal life? And he said unto him, Why callest thou me good? there is none good but one, that is, God: but if thou wilt enter into life, keep the commandments," (Matt. 19: 16, 17).

The Lesson-Sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Few understand or adhere to Jesus' divine precepts for living and healing. Why? Because his precepts require the disciple to cut off the right hand and pluck out the right eye,—that is, to set aside even the most cherished beliefs and practices, to leave all for Christ." (p. 141).

—Methodist Church

Sunday service in Methodist Church, Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Preaching service at 7 p. m. Week events—Bible study and prayer hour Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Choir practice Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Young people prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

SAND FOR SAFETY

Chief Max Solaro and his force are distributing sand to the citizens of Nevada City to be used in case of incendiary bombs Six cubic yards were distributed by the police Sunday and Chief Solaro thinks that a few more truck loads will supply the city Persons who do not receive theirs please notify the police department. Sand used to extinguish the incendiary bombs has been found to be the safest and most efficient method during the air raids in England.

He—"Are you willing to live on my income, dear?"

She—"Yes, if you get another for yourself."

No Trespassing, For Rent, Rooms for Rent and For Sale Placards on Sale At The Nugget Office.

FEDERAL LAW TO BAN TIRE THEFTS URGED

Quick action by Congress to make the theft of automobiles, tires, parts, and accessories a Federal offense is being demanded by the California State Automobile Association and affiliated AAA motor clubs throughout the couutry.

Efforts for the adoption of such a measure already introduced, are being conducted through AAA headquarters at Washington, D. C.

A wave of tire thievery is sweeping the United States in the wake of the rationing of tires, the Automobile Association stated today.

A Federal law carrying stringent and nationally uniform penalties is necessary, the motorists organization declared, to check automobile and tire thefts and to prevent "creation of a bootleg market for illicit trade in these important commodities."

The Automobile Association expressed the belief that such a law would be held constitutional, and said many similar examples of emergency legislation during the first world war could be cited.

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GRAND PARLOR BUYS BONDS

Immediate investment of $10,000 in Defense Bonds was the answer of the Native Sons of the Golden West to President Roosevelt's "biggest budget in history." The action was taken by the Board of Grand Officers at a meeting held on January 9.

"We were organized as a patriotic fraternity in 1875 and this is one way we can give substance to our first precept."

So declared John T. Regan, Grand Secretary of the Native Sons of the Golden West. He pointed out that the investment was on behalf of the Grand Parlor; that most of the one hundred and thirty five subordinate parlors located throughout California have made similar investments, or had indicated an intention to invest part of their savings in Defense Bonds. It is estimated an amount in excess of $100,000 will be invested by these subordinate parlors.

"The American people have reframed their budgets in response to our national emergency,' Regan added. "and fraternal organizations will do the same."

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SNOW HALTS MINING AT POVERTY HILL PROPERTY

Army Adams, well known Nevada County mining man, is expected to return to his home in Grass Valley within a few days from Poverty Hill Mine, where operations have ceased for a time because of the heavy snow. Work at the Poverty Hill will resume in the spring.

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No. 4209
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of THOMAS H. LONG, also known as Tom Long, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned MARGARET C. KELLY as administratrix of the estate of Thomas H. Long, alias Tom Long, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at law offices of Frank G. Finnegan, Attorney at Law, 207 North Pine Street, Nevada City, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Thomas H. Long, alias Tom Long, Deceased.

Dated January 12th, 1942.

MARGARET C. KELLY,
Administratrix of the Estate of Thomas H. Long, alias Tom Long, Deceased.

FRANK G. FNNEGAN, Attorney for Administratrix.

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ORDINANCE NO. 145

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA RELATING TO AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada do hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. As used in this ordinance the following words and phrases shall mean:

"Air raid warning signal" shall mean a signal by siren, whistle, horn or other audible device, of two minutes duration consisting of either a fluctuating or warbling signal of varying pitch or a succession of intermittent blasts of about five seconds duration separated by a silent period of about three seconds.

"All clear signal" shall mean a continuous signal, by siren, horn or other audible device, of two minutes duration at a steady pitch.

"Period of air raid alarm" shall mean the interval of time between the giving of the air raid warning signal and the giving of the next succeeding all clear signel.

"Blackout structure" shall mean any space so enclosed that any illumination maintained or existing therein is not visible from any point outside such enclosure.

SECTION 2. The Sheriff, Chief of Police, of either city, or Highway Patrol Officer, are hereby authorized and directed to cause the sounding of an air raid warning signal and of an all clear signal when, and only when, the district in which the county is located is notified so to do by the United States Aircraft Warning Service.

SECTION 3. Any person who effects or maintains any illumination, or permits any illumination under his control to be effected or maintained, at any place within the County of Nevada during any period of air raid alarm in the hours of darkness, except within a blackout structure, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SECTION 4. The maintenance or leaving of any illumination, except within a blackout structure, without provision for its extinguishment, within one minute after the commencement of a period of air raid alarm by a competent person over the age of eighteen years attendant at the place where such illumination is controlled, is hereby prohibited.

SECTION 5. In order to enable the Sheriff to conform to the request of the United States Aircraft Warning Service for the abscuration, diminution or extinguishment of any illumination, whether in or out of doors, which increases the vulnerability of the County of Nevada, or any portion thereof, to air attack, the Sheriff may adopt and promulgate reasonable rules and regulations for such purposes, and any rules or regulations so adopted by him shall be and remain in effect for thirty (30) days thereafter, but no longer unless approved within said time by resolution of the Board of Supervisors; provided, however, that any rule or regulation so adopted by the Sheriff may at any time be rescinded by resolution of the Board of Supervisors. Violation of any such rule or regulation so adopted and promulgated is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor.

SECTION 6. It shall be unlawful to disobey any lawful direction or order of a peace officer, highway patrolman, or fireman given during a period of air raid alarm, which order is reasonably necessary for the maintenance of public order or safety or to effect the extinguishment or obscuration of light.

SECTION 7. Any illumination contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, or to any rule or regulation adopted and promulgated in accordance with section 5 hereof, constitutes a public nuisance, and the same may be summarily abated by any peace officer, highway patrolman, or fireman. Any structure may be entered by any peace officer, highway patrolman, or fireman, using reasonable force if necessary, for the purpose of abating such a nuisance by extinguishing such illumination.

SECTION 8. At the commencement of a period of air raid alarm, the operator of any motor vehicle shall forthwith bring such vehicle as far as possible to the side of the street, road or highway off the main traveled portion thereof, and the oerator of any street car, shall bring such motor vehicle or street car to a stop clear of any crossing, intersection, fire house, fire plug, hospital or other emergency depot or area, and during the hours of darkness shall extinguish all lights therein or thereon and said motor vehicle or street car shall remain so situated during the period of air raid alarm, unless directed or ordered to move by a peace officer, highway patrolman or fireman.

SECTION 9. The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to blackout emergency vehicles, which shall include the following:

1) All Army and Navy vehicles;

2) All vehicles with United States Government credentials indicating the necessity of emergency movement;

3) All authorized emergency vehicles as defined in sections 44 and 44.1 of the Vehicle Code of California;

4) All vehicles being operated by members of the California State Guard while actually on duty;

5) All vehicles of volunteer personnel engaged in the operation of the Aircraft Warning Service of the Fourth Interceptor Command while such personnel are actually going to or from their posts of duty;

6) All vehicles certified by sheriffs, district attorneys, the California State Highway Patrol, police chiefs, and fire chiefs, when within the respective terrritorial jurisdictions of the certifying office, as being essential to the preservation of the public peace and safety or to the dissemination of public information or to the national defense; provided, however, that such vehicles shall conform to the uniform lighting regulations approved by the Department of Motor Vehicles and the California State Highway Patrol for blackout emergency vehicles. No certifacate shall be issued which conflicts with and regulation or order of the United States Army applicable in the area for which the certificate is issued.

SECTION 10. It shall be unlawful for any person without authority, during any air raid alarm, to use, wear, exhibit, or posses any uniform, insignia, credential, or other indication of authority, or any imitation thereof, adopted and issued by any official civilian defense organization.

SECTION 11. Any person who shall operate a siren, whistle or other audible device in such a manner as to simulate an air raid warning signal or an all clear signal, except upon order of the sheriff, or other proper authority, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SECTION 12. The provisions of every ordinance of this county and every administrative order made pursuant thereto, requiring any illumination to be maintained in conflict with thsi ordinance or with any rule or regulation made pursuant to section 5 of this ordinance, shall be deemed suspended during the period between any air raid warning signal and the next succeeding all clear signal.

SECTION 13. Any person who shall violate any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding three hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 14. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency ordinance necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and shall take effect and be enforced from and after its passage and publication as required by law. And the following is the statement of facts constituting such urgency; the United States is at war and this county is in great and continuing danger of air and other attacks by the enemy.

SECTION 15. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not effect other provisions or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Adopted this 6th day of January, 1942.

On the adoption of the foregoing ordinance Supervisors C. S. Argogast, Frank Rowe, J. C. Coughlan, W. E. Odell and Alex Robertson voted "AYES." "NOES" None. Absent None.

C. S. ARBOGAST,
Chairman of the Board.

Attest R. N. McCormack, Clerk of the Board.

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BY ZACK MOSLEY
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SPEED SHORTENS LIFE SPAN OF CAR WARNS AAA

Voluntary observance by motorists in California of a speed limit of 45 miles an hour for the duration of the war as a matter of automobile conservation and public safety was urged today by the California State Automobile Association. The appeal followed a conference yeterday with Governor Culbert L. Olson at which representatives of the Automobile Association and the Automobile Club of Southern California advocated legislation or official action to lower the speed limit during the emergency. The governor was symathetic with the purposes of the proposal to reduce maximum permissible speed to the 45 mile limit but suggested that appeal of a patriotic nature might produce a voluntary compliance.

At the same time Petroleum Coordinator Harold L. Ickes suggested in Washington, D. C., a national speed limit was being established in national arks under his jurisdiction as Secretary of the Interior.

The American Automobile Association issued a warning to motorists from its headquarters in the national capitol, "that continued driving at excessive speeds may well make many motorists pedestrians for the duration. Supplementing its appeal, the California automobile association said:

"With automobile production due to come to a halt in a short time, with tires strictly rationed, and with uncertainty as to future availability of at least some types of auto arts and accessories, the time has definitely come to stop wasteful driving practices.

"Speed is the greatest form of waste in automobile operation. Speed too fast for conditions are responsible for the vast majority of automobile accidents. Wrecks are bad enough at an time, but at present a pile-up means demolishing a car that cannot be replaced.

"Moreover, speed wastes gas and oil, it chews up rubber in all but irreplacable tires, and hastens the time when your car becomes junkyard bait.

"The average vehicle has a lifespan of about eight and one half years. But prudent driving and proper care of the car can extend that life period almost indefinitely. The cars of ancient vintage that one still sees on streets and highways are evidence of what can be accomplished through carefulness in car operation.

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STATE INCOME TAX MAY BE REPEALED

By CLEM WHITAKER

Initiative petitions seeking repeal of the State income tax will be placed in circulation within the next few weeks, according to reports in political circles, as the spearhead of a drive to eliminate unnecessary state taxes during the war period when federal levies are certain to cut deeply into family incomes.

The income tax repealer, if it qualifies for a place on the ballot, will go before the people at the November election.

Taxpayer organizations sponsoring the repeal movement plan to base their campaign on the following points:

1 California taxpayers, if compelled to continue to pay the state income tax on top of their federal tax, will be at a sharp disadvantage during the critical war years when the greatest sacrifices will be required to meet the needs of the national government. Federal income tax rates have been drastically increased and exemptions lowered, but most states, unlike California, do not collect a state income tax.

2 State tax collections are greatly exceeding state expenditures and the loss of the $20,000,000 a year now derived from the income tax would not jeopardize the state's financial position. On the other hand, a reduction in the state's tax demands would help taxpayers in meeting their greatly increased federal tax bills and in buying defense stamps and bonds, thereby aiding the war effort.

Contributing to the political popularity of the repeal drive, according to its sponsors, is the fact that the income tax, which was once considered a tax on the classes, has now become a tax on the masses—reaching into the pocketbook of nearly everyone who earns a living income.

In March, when taxpayers start making their returns under the new federal act, millions of citizens will pay an income tax for the first time in their lives And millions of others, who have paid a small tax in the past, will look at the size of their bill with unbelieving eyes. In California, with the state tax added to the federal tax, the net result is bound to be staggering. In many homes it will undoubtedly mean a restricted family budget and a lower standard of living.

Tax groups backing the fight to repeal the state income levy declare that they expect just as much support from the little taxpayer as big. And while the repealer can't go into effect in time to alter this year's tax payments (which are based on last years earnings), the bills received in March will doubtless have a pronounced influence on the readiness with which voters sign repeal petitions when they are presented shortly thereafter.

Ski Tow Operators Now Prepared For Snow Sports Crowds

The early snow fall caught many ski tow operators in the Donner Trail area of the Tahoe National Forest a bit unprepared, according to reports made by Guerdon Ellis, supervisor of the Tahoe National Forest. A recent survey indicates, however, that tows are now ready to take care of the crowds visiting the area around Donner Summit.

Skiers will find the following tows in operation: one rope tow opposite Vanderford's resort; one at the Sierra Club ski hill; the chair lift and possibly one rope tow at Sugar Bowl. At Soda Springs the J-Bar is being put in shape and three rope tows are to operate. The J-Bar at Rainbow Tavern will be in shape by this weekend. At the Auburn Ski Club and at Cisco Grove, rope tows are ready. At Pioneer Camp one rope tow will operate. Thus, one chair lift, two J-Bars, and ten rope tows should be in full swing.

Ellis says that if skiers find the rope pretty slick and hard to hold, grab on with both hands. Some operators have waxed their ropes in an effort to preserve the life of the hemp. A preservative other than wax will probably be applied in the future. The forest service research laboratory has been requested to recommend a preservative which will protect tow ropes and at the same time allow firm grasp by skiers, stated Ellis.

QUIET TITLE SUIT FILED

Two parcels of mineral land in the Willow Valley district are involved in a quiet title suit filed in the superior court here by the Hoge Development Company against the Penn-California Mining Company. Frank Finnegan is the attorney for the Hoge Company.

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Paul paid us a visit a few days ago. I think he was on his way to San Francisco to straighten out some complicated defense problem, but of his mission he refused to talk.

"I ain't doin' much mythin,' these days," he said in answer to my rather foolish question, "there's serious business on hand now, an' I'm kept pretty busy lendin't a hand whereever jobs is hardest an' buildin' up the fightin' morale of the country."

After a time, he became remeniscent; "yuh see mam," he said ,"this country is a hobby of mine—why, me and the axmen, practically made it, chopped it right out of the wilderness, set it up an' got it rollin.' Not many folks knows it, but I was down at the dock when all of them American ancestors came in on the Mayflower. They didn't know anything about pioneerin', so I staid with 'em, till they learnt how to clear the land an' build their selves log houses an' all such like. Then I went up to the north woods an' got myself famous."

Yes, we had a most interesting talk, Paul and I, and it confirmed my preconceived opinion, which is, that Paul Bunyan and the traditions which have accumulated about him, are the whimsical representations of that pioneer spirit which has made and preserved us a nation.

Paul Bunyan is in fact, just another name for the will to do, for the steadfast determination which tackles a tough job, discounting all obstacles both great and small, and refuses to say, "it can't be done," but goes confidently about the task of accomplishing the impossible and in whose lexigon there is no such word as "fail."

Garbed in homespun humor of the most fantastic quality, our hero of the woods and lumbering camps has won recognition in every great American industry or adventure, which calls for true courage, self reliance and the indomitable power and will to see things through. Let's join his sturdy band of axmen and hack our way through the difficulties and unsurmoutable obstacles which lie ahead.

"Your big blue ox has eaten one of our largest golden oaks," I complained, as Paul prepared to take his departure.

"Too bad mam," apologized my indomitable friend, "but Babe sure has a appetite. I wish he was a meat eater—just now, I do; I know where I could use him to good advantage if he was. Oh yes, one other thing, if you meet up with a job that can't be done, seend for me an' I'll come immediate. Keep swingin' your little paper hatchet mam, it ain't much. but if all you axmen an axwomen swing unanimous, we'll have the raps to lick the Japs.—A. Merriam Conner.

An usherette was in the dentist's chair.

"Now, miss," he asked, "which tooth is giving you the trouble?"

"Second from the left in the balcony."

"Why didn't you salute me?" roared a major to a rookie.

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STATE SHARE IN U. S. TAX LOAD 1.6 BILLIONS

Effect on California of the $26,600,000 tax program proposed by the president in his budget message will be a federal tax bill of $1,600,000,000 for Californians for the coming fiscal year, California Taxpayers' Association stated today.

National taxes in effect today are expected to bring into the federal treasury $17,600,000,000 in 1942-43, according to the president's budget message, the association stated. In addition to these taxes, the president asks that congress levy new taxes to bring in $7,000,000,000 and increase social security levies to bring in an additional $2,000,000,000. In total, the national tax bill requested by the president for 1942-43 would amount to $26,600,000,000. California's share, conservatively estimated at 6 per cent of the total would be $1,600,000,000.

State and local taxes in California last year, the association pointed out, amounted to $681,500,000, of which $361,500,000 was collected by the state and $320,000,000 was property taxes collected by the local governments. Collections so for this year indicate state and federal taxes will exceed $700,000,000.

Federal taxes, present and proposed, added to the high level of state and local tax levies, would mean a total tax bill for Californians of $2,300,000,000, or a per capita tax bill of more than $300 for every one of the 7,350,000 people in California, the Taxpayers' Association declared. This, the association pointed out, is more than twice the $138 per capita of federal, state and local taxes paid by the people of California in 1939-40.

"Victory in this war requires staggering amounts of federal taxes and bonds," the association declared. "For the people, it means sacrificing many desirable but non-essential things. It should mean the same for every level of government. If the people of California are going to be able to buy defense bonds

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A man will not be the better because he had a well born father, if he himself is nought. But true high-birth is in the mind, it was never in the flesh.—King Alfred.

What you believe must influence what you are. What you are determines what you do, and what you do determines your value here and hereafter.—Jane Tudor.

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By RALPH H. TAYLOR

Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard recently announced the appointment of a nation wide committee whose nation wide objective, he said, will be "to draft a broad agricultural plan for a post-war world in which we will make full use of our man power and our resources for the benefit of the American people."

In a memorandum setting up the new planning organization, Secretary Wickard declared that "in some quarters there is a fear that a severe economic depression is inevitable when the defense effort ceases." but he added:

"The Department of Agriculture does not share this pessimism. We believe the country need never go through a major economic depression again. We believe it is possible to maintain a national income greater than ever before in the history of the nation. If we plan soundly and courageously, if we enlist the help of the greatest possible number of people in making these plans, we can build an economy which will offer a fair chance for work and security."

Then Mr Wickard states that the planning work will fall into three main parts, as follows:

1—A public works program to conserve and build up the nation's natural resources, including forestry, soil conservation, flood control, water facilities, range improvement and similar tasks.

2—A program to provide (apparently at government expense and under government direction) services and facilities needed by farm people, such as rural housing, medical care, rural electrification, education, libraries, and marketing facilities.

3—A study of agricultural-industrial relations in the post war period. This would include analysis of such problems as industrial decentralization, distribution of farm products through methods such as the Stamp Program, keeping America's share of foreign markets for farm products after the war, and ways of maintaining industrial output and employment at a high level.

The average farmer who was in business during and after World War No. 1 will undoubtedly be inclined to question Secretary Wickard's optimistic forecast that "the country need never go through a major economic depression again," and his calm assumption that the post-war adjustment can be made without serious repercussions. Practical farmers, accustomed to bucking the storms of nature and economics, just aren't that optimistic.

The general objectives of Mr. Wickard's post-war program, however, are highly desirable. They are all goals that not only farmers, but the public at larfe, would like to achieve. They are things we all want, but how we can best get them is quite a different matter.

Secretary Wickard's program seems to assume that a beneficent and munificent government can undertake to plan, finance and carry out the shaping of a post-war world in which the farmer will be spared the shock of economic readjustment or the need of doing the job for himself. Bluntly stated, that is neither possible nor desirable.

America was made by the greatest possible exercise of freedom of initiative. Men had before them real incentive for developing to the fullest the best that was in them—stamina, resourcefulness, originality, courage, in the face of adversity. What they got, they got by their own efforts—not by governmental subsidy which they were later called on to pay in taxes.

Our democratic form of government was designed, not to do for people what they could, if they would, do for themselves, but to assure all an equal opportunity to do the very best they could for themselves so long as they did not interfere with the common good or the right of others to do likewise. And if freedom is to be preserved as we now know it in our post-war world, a public works program (which we must eventually pay for anyway) can't save us, nor can the farmer turn over his marketing problems, his housing problems, the medical care of his family, et cetera, et cetera, to some brain trust in Washington. Individual farmers, farm cooperatives and other agencies of private enterprise are still perfectly competent to cope with farm marketing problems. Certainly the government should do the jobs the farmer can't do, but it should go no further. When the eternal God decreed that by man's own sweat he earn his daily bread, He gave man dignity, indviduality and initiative. Let's not go any further toward destroying that—even to meet a post-war emergency!

George Perry is now employed as night clerk at the National Hotel here. Perry succeeds Lee Smith, who is preparing to leave for military service. Perry formely was bell boy at the National Hotel and more recently had been employed by The Morning Union in Grass Valley.

THE CALL TO THE COLORS! IS A CALL FOR DOLLARS

Dig deep. Strike hard. Our boys need the planes, ships, and guns which your money will help to buy.

Go to your bank, post office, or savings and loan association. Tell them you want to buy Defense Bonds regularly, starting now.

FRANK FINNEGAN ELECTED TO HEAD BAR ASSOCIATION

Attorney Frank Finnegan of Nevada City, president of the Nevada County Bar Association in 1941 was re-elected to that position for 1942 on Monday night at the annual dinner meeting of the association held at the Bret Harte Inn. Finnegan presided at Monday night's meeting and he with the other former officers, namely, John LaRue, vice president and William Cassetari, secretary-treasurer were unanimously re-elected to office.

Arch G. Bailey, Woodland attorney and chairman of the bar delegates of the California Bar Association was guest speaker at the meeting and spoke of the activities of the bar association and the legislative activities of the group to improve the administration of justice, the procedure and practice of California courts and the legal profession.

The members of the Nevada County Bar Association voted $35 of their funds to the Red Cross Chapters of Grass Valley and Nevada City and at Monday's meeting and pledged their support and resources to the development of the county and municiple defense programs.

Attorneys and guests who attended the session were: President Frank Finnegan, Lynne Kelly, Judge George L. Jones, John Larue, Ward Sheldon, Vernon Stoll, William E. Wright, William Cassettari, County Clerk R. N. McCormack; Deputy Clerk Ralph Deeble, Judge George Gildersleeve, Robert T. Ingram, and Arch G. Bailey of Woodland.

Many Attend Funeral For Frank Wood

A large number of friends gathered in Sweetland yesterday to attend the funeral rites for Frank Wood, a native of that community, who died in a Nevada City hospital Monday. Burial was in the Sweetland Cemetery.

The funeral and burial was under the direction of the Holmes Funeral Home of this city.

Tre deceased leaves a son, Carl Wood of Alaska, a sister, Mrs. Katherine Roux of San Francisco and a brother, Walter Wood of Mexico.

Mrs. A. B. Innis and Miss Mary Innis motored to Berkeley today where Mary will resume her studies at the University of California.

MURCHIE SALVAGING MAY BE COMPLETED WITHIN TEN DAYS

Salvaging of steel rails and other equipment at the Murchie Mine here is expected to be completed within the next ten days, at which time the majority of men will leave for Happy Camp, Siskiyou County, where they will be employed at the Gray Eagle Mine.

The Gray Eagle is a copper mine and the Murchie miners have expressed satisfaction at their transfer there, inasmuch as they feel copper is an essential war material and they will be doing their bit in the war against the Axis.

For the present operations are continuing at the Zeibright, sister to the Murchie Mine. It is believed if the decision to close the Zeibright is reached, work will continue on the driving of the tunnel from the Yuba River toward the Zeibright workings.

BOARDS TO BE NAMED FOR NEW REGISTRATION

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 15.—(UP)—Speed will be the keynote of the method in which California men will be registered on Feb. 16 in the new draft classifications.

Brig. Gen. Joseph O. Donovan, the state director of selective service announced today, that local boards throughout the state are getting personnel reinforcement in order by January 15.

Temporary registration boards, under the direction of the regular local draft boards are being set up all over the state. The temporary boards, numbering between 1,500 and 2,000 will be set up in the remote or inacsessable areas of the state. The extra draft boards will enable the registrations to go through wtih the highest possible speed and prevent imposing hardship on the registrants, Donovan said.

The temporary boards are patterned after the additional boards used last R-day, July 1, 1941. The boards will be conducted on a voluntary basis by people from business and professional life.

Failure To Provide Suspect Is Arrested

Deputy Sheriff Willard O'Hara, is expected back from San Francisco today with D. L. Calhoun, wanted by Nevada County authorities for failure to provide.

Word that San Francisco officers were holding Calhoun was received here yesterday and Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen dispatched O'Hara to the bay city to return the prisoner to Nevada City for trial.

MARRIAGE DECLARATION

ADAMS-THOMAS — In Nevada City, January 13, 1942, by Kenneth Neil Adams, 23, of Grass Valley and Dorothy Katherine Thomas, 22, of Nevada City.

Sketches Of The Gold Country

BLOOMFIELD HOTEL

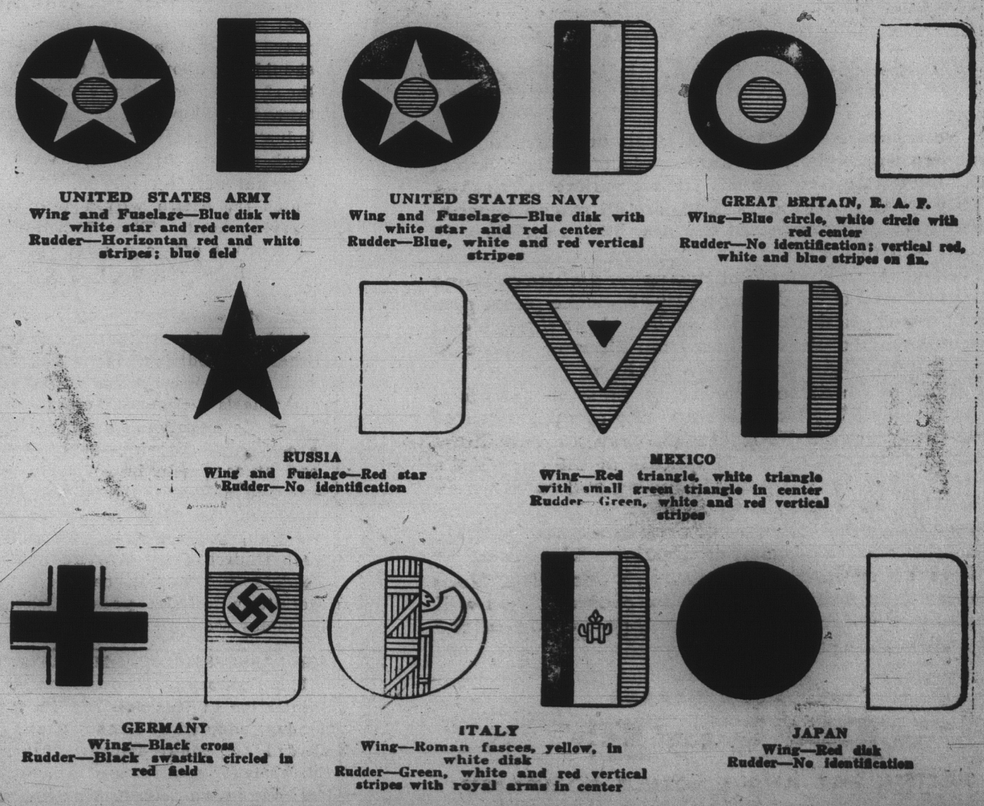
Sketches of the Gold Country embraces short, vivid recitals of the scenic and historical charm of Nevada City, Grass Valley, Dutch Flat, Washington, Bloomfield, French Corral, You Bet and Red Dog, Rough and Ready, and North San Juan.

The book, written by Harley M. Leete, Jr., is illustrated with pen drawings by Clifford Warner.

It Sells for 50 cents per copy

It is on sale in Nevada City at the Nugget office, the Dickerman Drug Store, the Shamrock Cafe, and the Harris Drug Store. In Grass Valley, Samson's sells the book. In Sacramento, Levinson's Book store; in San Francisco at Paul Elder's, Newbegin, John Howell and David Magee.

How to Distinguish Nationality of Aircraft


UNITED STATES ARMY
Wing and Fuselage—Blue disk with white star and red center
Rudder—Horizontan red and white stripes; blue field
UNITED STATES NAVY
Wing and Fuselage—Blue disk with white star and red center
Rudder—Blue, white and red vertical stripes
GREAT BRITAIN, R. A. F.
Wing—Blue circle, white circle with red center
Rudder—No identification; vertical red, white and blue stripes on fin.
RUSSIA
Wing and Fuselage—Red star
Rudder—No identification
MEXICO
Wing—Red triangle, white triangle with small green triangle in center
Rudder—Green, white and red vertical stripes
GERMANY
Wing—Black cross
Rudder—Black swastika circled in red field
ITALY
Wing—Roman fasces, yellow, in white disk
Rudder—Green, white and red vertical stripes with royal arms in center
JAPAN
Wing—Red disk
Rudder—No identification

Civilian air raid spotters will have no difficulty distinguishing Axis planes from those of the United Nations if they memorize the markings illustrated above. American and British planes have designs of red, white and blue, and Russia has a red star. Watchers on the southern border occasionally may see the red triangle of Mexico. Axis raiders are easily spotted through the familiar black cross and swastika of Germany, the round red rising sun emblem of Japan and the Roman fasces insignia borne by Italian planes.

Red Cross Quota May Be Reached With Truckee Funds

Contributions during this week boosted the total amount subscribed to the Red Cross War Relief fund here. The total has reached approximately $1,500 and when Truckee is heard from it is believed the Nevada City quota of $2,000 will be attained. Truckee is in the Nevada City Red Cross Chapter area.

The Nevada City Sewing Club showed its fine spirit by cancelling a planned dinner party and contributing what it would have cost to the Red Cross fund. The contributions came from Gertrude Schreiber, Elma Baker, Lois Davies, Clara White, Grace Solaro and Irene Solaro.

The Red Cross headquarters has announced the following have contributed in addition to the names of those already published:

$10—Mrs. Ed Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Sheldon, Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

$5—Benj. Hall, Banner Mountain Auxiliary VFW, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Adamson, Carle D. Ross, N. C. Ski Club.

$3—Columbia Parlor NDGW, of French Corral.

$2.50—Savory Ford.

$1.00—Neighbors of Woodcraft, Mrs. J. W. Hathaway, Nada Tence, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walters.

$1.50—John Bertelson, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Maris.

$1.00—Mrs. J. D. Muscardini, Mrs. J. B. Spence, Frances McQuestin, Rose Jones, Mrs. C. R. Bennett, Mrs. Dudley Bennett, Mrs. T. T. Kirkham, Mrs. T. Angiolini, Mrs. Loren Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Peterson, Remember Honolulu, Mr. J. B. Collier, Mrs. Roy Todd, Mrs. J. C. Distel, Edith Green, Mrs. Jno. McCarthy, Mrs. W. F. Sharpe, John K. Osborne.

Others—Joan Sheldon, Paul Bundy, C. R. Mizell, J. P. Keene, Walter Huson, Mrs. Robt. Lamb, Mrs. H. Peteerson, Mrs. Share.

BACK AT WORK

Bert Crase, general manager of the Idaho-Maryland Mines Corporation properties, is back at work full time now. Crase had been ill for several months.

Wife (reading newspaper) — "Here's an item about an eccentric woman who hasn't left her attic in twenty years."

Husband — "I suppose she came across a pile of old magazines and began reading the serials."

Advertise in the Nugget for results

Frank Cox To Lecture Here Again

HYSTERIA-RUMOR MONGERING, EXAGGERATION DOUBT TO BE TOPIC

The second of a series of lectures by Frank Emery Cox, regional coordinator for the Bureau of Business Education, California State Department of Education, will be delivered tomorrow night at the Nevada City Elementary School Auditorium. The meeting will open at 7:30. There is no admission charge.

Cox's first lecture, Your Personality and the Public Morale, was received with great interest last Friday.

Tomorrow night's lecture will be entitled Hysteria-Rumor Mongering-Exaggeration-Doubt. The lectures are given each Friday night.

The lectures are a part of the Evening School program to help business help Victory, H. E. Kjorlie district superintendent of schools, announced.

The other lectures are to be as follows:

Shortages, Priorties, Restrictions, Conservation, Lowered Sales (Doing Business in Spite of Them.)

High Cost of Living, Inflation, Price Control. (How Can Business Meet the Challenge?)

Forced Savings, Income Taxes, Withholding Taxes, The Tax Future. (What they mean to Business and Consumer Alike.)

After Victory What—Will You Be Prepared? (Can You Survive the Post-War Period?)

The relationship between Personality and Public Morale was discussed last week at the first meeting and the meeting this week will amplify and extend the discussion more specifically, placing special emphasis on the dangers of hysteria, rumor mongering, exaggeration and doubt, and each individual's responsibility to preserve calmness.

"A week to week plan covering a year's program for personality improvement will be presented," stated Cox, "and for the person who not only wants to bear his share of home defense responsibility but to the one who would buold for the future post war period these suggestions may prove to be of practical and inestimable value. In dealing with large corporations who recognize the necessity for personality improvement as a means of up-grading personnel morale I have found that the long range plan not only gets quicker results but it obtains lasting benefits."

A practical business approach will be made to the subject and every employer and employee alike who comes into contact with the public is urged to attend.

Deschwanden-Manciu Nuptials February First

Miss Vernie Deschwanden, popular local young woman, and Vic Manciu, Grass Valley miner, have set February 1st as the date of their marriage.

Miss Deshcwanden is a graduate of the Nevada City High School and the Western School of Business in Sacramento S.he had been employed as switchboard operator and secretary for the Triangle Produce Company and just recently returned to Nevada City to make plans for her wedding.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Deschwanden.

Miss Deschwanden's fiance attended schools in Fremont, Mich., where he was born in 1914. He formerly was employed at the Walker Mine. Mancieu has been in this state for the past ten years.

THINKING OUT LOUD

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captive nations, but it is also true that Germany has expended these materials at probably twice the rate of the first world war. So there is more than a possibility that the German people have already reached the initial stage of national disintegration that presages collapse. An army is no stronger than the people behind it.

If this reasoning is correct it is certainly important that the Allied governments begin to plan immediately to fend off that economic upheaval that has followed every war, an upheaval that brought disaster to the world after the last war. We read and hear very little about such planning or preparation. We are rushing headlong toward a total expenditure of half the national income in war preparation. We are assured by the president that we shall reach that goal before the end of the year. Yes, but supposing the war should end about that time? What then? What will have been done toward resumption of peace time industries, putting men back to work manufacturing commodities that not only ourselves, but of which the entire world will be in starving need. The Secretary of Agriculture offers a part solution. We shall be engaged in a monstrous effort to feed the world. That of course will help. But how about ships to carry the food and other commodities? How about the vast need for machine tools when the wheels of peace time industry begin to revolve again? How about tariff barriers that cramp and hinder trade in a world hungry and naked? Is it not about time that the president, who loves to plan, got together with Winston Churchill and other allied leaders and began to plan very definitely for the peace, whether it comes soon or later?

ASK ASSESSMENT MORATORIUM

The California Hydraulic Mining Association at its meeting in Colfax Sunday adopted a resolution, forwarded to Congressman Harry L. Englebright, requesting a moratorium, due to war conditions, on mine claim assessment work.

Air Raid Wardens Also To Act As Traffic Officers

Nevada City's 70 air raid wardens have been issued instructions by Chief Warden Al Bates.

Bates said until a system of policing is worked out, the air raid wardens here must act as traffic officers in addition to their blackout duties.

Bates instructions, which will also prove of benefit to residents who desire to comply with all blackout rules, follow:

1—When air raid and blackout signal is given, your first duty is to clear the street. People should be told to go to their homes or, if they cannot reach them within five minutes, they should be directed to seek shelter. If air raid occurs at night, see that all unshielded lights are extinguished in assigned area—warn violators—turn out lights, if necessary. Do Not Damage Property. Be Courteous. Report all violations to Police Department.

2—You must see that drivers park their automobiles at curbs in double rows, if necessary, but in such a manner as to leave a passage for fire engines and ambulances. Wide openings must be left opposite fire plugs. Only emergency vehicles, such as fire trucks, police cars and ambulances are to be allowed to operate.

3—Watch assigned area for fires or bombs. If fires occur during air raid alarm, use fire alarm box to call equipment. Acquaint yourself with the location of the fire alarm boxes; also such auxiliary fire equipment that may be located in your area. Use telephone for fire calls only where necessary. As a warden you must remember that every warden's duty is to the area as a whole, even before help to individuals in distress. If small incendiary bombs lodge on tops of buildings, your first duty is to warn the occupants and get the fire department or other trained persons to deal with the bombs. The location of these bombs should be reported immediately. If high explosive bombs explode, quickly determine the exact location and extent of damage, then report accurately to the designated report center. After this report give what help and first aid you can to any persons injured by the blast. If a bomb fails to explode or an explosion cannot be detected above the crash caused by the fall, investigate the bomb at once. It may be a dud, a time bomb or a gas bomb. As you approach the point of fall, be especially alert for the presence of gas. Use due caution in approaching a bomb. See that all people are evacuated from bombing area. If no gas is present, report the location and probable size of the bomb and damage caused by the fall; then, evacuate people in nearby houses and conduct or direct them to other places of shelter. After this, the streets leading to the place of fall should be roped off if there is time. Volunteers may be found for this work. If large incendiary bombs are dropped or fires started by enemy agents, their locaton and character must be reported immediately. Then the fire must be fought with whatever local assistance can be obtained until fire apparatus arrives.

4—Watch for and report to police department all suspicious characters, acts of vandalism, looting or other illegal acts in area.

5—Avoid unnecessary use of flash lights. Do not light matches.

6—When all clear signal is sounded, see that assigned area returns to normal. Cooperate with police and other wardens assigned to the area.

PRIVATE FUNERAL FOR VICTIM OF SCARLET FEVER

Strictly private funeral services will be held at the Holmes Funeral Home here for Rose Peterson, 8, who was stricken ill Friday with scarlet fever and died at 10:20 p. m. Tuesday in the county hospital.

The girl was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Peterson of Lost Hill. The untimely death of the girl, a student in the Elementary School here, came as a shock to the many relatives and friends of the family.

A younger sister is receiving treatment by Dr. W. W. Reed for the same disease.

The mother is a member of the Kistle family.

Customer — "These cigars seem shorter than they used to be."

Clerk—"Yes. The manufacturer noticed that the last inch always is thrown away, so he is making them that much shorter."

BISHOP PORTER WILL CELEBRATE HOLY COMMUNION

The Right Revereend Noel Porter, D. D., Ph. D., Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Sacramento, will celebrate the Holy Communion and preach at Trinity Church this Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service.

During the Sunday School hour, at 9:45, Bishop Porter will baptize a large number of the Sunday School boys and girls at an impressive ceremony.

Bishop Porter will also be a featured speaker at the pot-luck dinner Trinity Parish is having on Monday evening at 6:30 in the Methodist Hall. Archdeacon Rex A. Barron will also be present at the dinner, an informal affair to promote the family spirit and fellowship among all the members of the parish.

A business meeting will be conducted at the close of the dinner and vestrymen will be elected for the new year.

FATHERS NIGHT PLANNED BY PTA

The Nevada City Elementary School Parent Teachers Association has already started plans for Fathers Night, which will be held on January 28th.

All fathers who attend will be treated to dinner free. The dinner starts at 6 o'clock p m. Mothers will pay twenty five cents.

An excellent entertainment program is being arranged, including a comedy skit by the class mothers. Mrs. L. G. Lageson, president of the PTA is chairman of the committee arranging plans for Fathers Night.

Nevada Countyans Placed On Probation

Mart A. Sharp and Joseph O. Launius of Nevada County, were placed on probation for three years by Federal Judge Martin I. Welsh in Sacramento this week.

The two previously pleaded guilty to highgrading charges in connection with the theft of $3,000 in gold from the government's amalgamation plant on the Friant dam site. Cecil H. Clay, also a former Nevada Countyan, who admitted stealing the gold, recently was sentenced to serve one year in jail and was placed on probation for three years.

Ed. C. Uren's Farewell To Engine No. 5

Editor's note: Ed C. Uren of this city was one of a group who witnessed the departure from the Grass Valley N. C. N. G. R. station of Engine No. 5, which operated for years between Nevada City, Grass Valley and Colfax, for motion picture duty in Universal City. The scene moved Engineer Uren to compose the following poem).

GOOD BYE NUMBER FIVE

(By Ed C. Uren)

I stopped and looked at number five
Perched high above a trailer bed
Her cab and stack on Kidder Drive
Had swept the branches overhead.

Neighbors all, and children too
Gathered 'round in dusk of eve
To bid old number five adieu
As she left for lands of make-believe.

For forty years this faithful girl
Through summer heat and storms galore
Has rode the rails with wheels awhirl
For half a million miles, or more.

And as I looked with some regret
Upon this scene that happened today
My thoughts go back to this old vet
Before the autos had their sway.

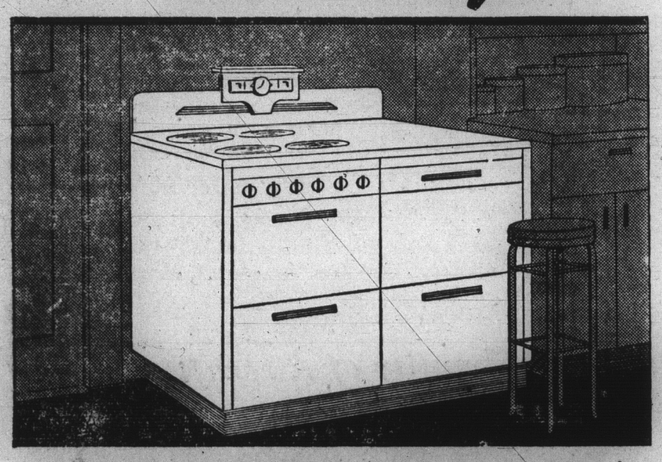
I saw Mike Craig with whiskers gray
Dan Coughlin sit and watch her roll
Bill Mutton, happy on his way
Each, in his turn at Five's control.

There was a time when in her prime
That buses met her twice a day
She brought the mail, the tools to mine
The queen of all the right-of-way.

Perhaps some night upon the screen
We'll see her in her new abode
With belching smoke and clouds of steam
In some hair-raising episode.

No Trespassing, For Rent, Rooms for Rent and For Sale Placards on Sale At The Nugget Office.

Electric Cookery is "CLEAN" as Electric Light



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Millions of American women now cook the modern electric way. They like the simplicity of operation of the electric range. They like the way the top units come up to cooking speed quickly at the snap of a switch. They like the perfect broiling and roasting in the ovens. They like the automatic time and temperature controls that take care of oven dinners or baking. And they like the economy of electric cooking, too.

Why not cook the modern way...with electricity? Here in California electricity is cheap for cooking. You will be amazed at how little it costs to operate one of the new 1941 electric ranges.

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